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SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

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Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Christine Chua on 8/14/2006.

The application has been amended as follows:

95. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 4 or 9 ~~84~~ wherein the heat shock protein preparation is administered to the subject in an amount effective to induce or increase an immune response in the subject to the component.

96. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 25 ~~85~~ wherein the heat shock protein preparation is administered to the subject in an amount effective to induce or increase an immune response in the subject to the component.

97. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 42 ~~86~~ wherein the heat shock protein preparation is administered to the subject in an amount effective to induce or increase an immune response in the subject to the component.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Christopher H. Yaen whose telephone number is 571-272-0838. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday 9-5.

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